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Although the price is but \$3.00, it's guaranteed to give you as much satisfaction in every way as any \$5.00 hat made or YOUR MONEY BACK.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindly assistance in the illness and death of our beloved mother. Also the Steam Shovel company and friends for their beautiful floral tributes. Oris, Gale and Clyde Harriman.



\$5.98 today's price on several handsome black Kersey coats.

Such high grade, loose flowing garments so gracefully tailored are worth, well, we just ask you to see what YOU think they are worth.

Mr. Phillips, now in New York, ran across just 25 black coats. He bought them and today they are here. At \$5.98 we consider them very exceptional values indeed.

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Pretty Waist Styles

There is as much individuality about the workmanship and style of our waists as there is in the store itself.

With pretty hand made yokes, profusely and yet neatly trimmed with lace or embroidery, with either the short, three-quarter or long sleeve; our waists form the most complete and up-to-date line ever shown. The line consists of mull, batiste, net and wash silk waists with a price range of \$1.00 to \$3.00.

J. P. LUDWIG

The Store with a Reputation.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS

Sought by a League Formed in Ohio.

NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE

Formed by Prominent Leaders

Machine Politics to be Broken Down but Organization will be Permitted.

Announcement was made of the formation of the Ohio Association for Primary Elections. It is non-partisan and hopes to be effective in securing the passage of an advanced primary election law by the legislature next winter. Its officers are Judge Gilbert H. Stewart, president; Representative Hiram L. Bronson, vice president; George U. Marvin, secretary. President Stewart was formerly circuit judge and is a prominent member of the state board of commerce. Representative Bronson is the author of the present law governing primary elections and also of the primary bill which was defeated in the last senate, after passing the house.

The strength of the organization will lie in a large executive committee to be composed of men of both parties in each county. This has not yet been formed. The intention is to create sentiment in favor of compulsory primaries of both parties on the same day, and to bring this sentiment to bear on members of the legislature who opposed the bill last winter.

The defeat of last year's bill was brought about by the bosses of both parties, the Democratic bosses Tom L. Johnson and Lewis Bernard appearing in the line light and taking the brunt of the criticism with the Republican bosses at their backs, but invisible. The new association will endeavor by circulating literature to carry on a campaign of education on the question of primary election reform. It will seek to make the people believe that a fair, separate primary will come nearer than any other known device to breaking down the back of the machine in politics and yet leave ample room and opportunity for legitimate organization.—Ohio State Journal.

A STAR BILL

Is Presented at the Family Theatre This Week.

Two large audiences greeted the star bill at the Marion Family theatre last night. The production pleased to a remarkable extent and promises to attract large audiences to this popular amusement house during the entire week.

Manager Vail certainly made no mistake when he secured the act, "The Four Malverns" the marvelous comedy neobots, which made such a hit at last night shows. All the acts were highly appreciated and Frank McNish, the old time, minstrel man, made a special hit. Miss Coleman cleverly rendered "Down Where the Roses Lead the Way" which was prettily illustrated. The program throughout is of high vaudeville class and cannot help but please all classes.

THAW'S MOTHER SERIOUSLY ILL.

New York, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Wm. Thaw is seriously ill at Hotel Lorraine. She is suffering from the grippe.

CALLED TO ATHENS

Mrs. C. M. Smallwood Summoned Before the Grand Jury.

Mrs. E. Grace Smallwood, of this city, has been summoned to Athens, Ohio, where she will appear as a witness before the grand jury in the case of brutality charges against the Athens hospital attendants. Mrs. Smallwood will leave tonight for that city and will testify before the jury at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. She will be called upon to repeat the story which she told here several days ago, regarding the brutal treatment which she alleged was being practiced in the hospital when she was an inmate several years ago.

ANNUAL MEETING FEBRUARY 28TH

Premium List Will be Revised, Somewhat.

Plans for the Fair of 1907 are Gradually Being Perfected by the Board.

On Thursday, Feb. 28, the board of managers of the Marion County Agricultural society will hold their annual meeting for the arrangement of its premium lists, in the society room at the court house. The entire list will be carefully gone over and it is probable that many changes will be made.

The members of the board are anxious to arrange the premiums so that all exhibitors at the fair will be able to compete for the prizes offered. The premiums given exhibitors amounted to over \$3,000 last year, and it is probable that the amount will be somewhat increased this year. Any person or persons having suggestions to make regarding the changing of the premiums or the arrangements of last year, is invited by the managers to be present at the coming meeting, and consideration will be given to all suggestions made. The amounts to be set up as prizes at the race meetings will also be decided upon at the meeting. Last year the prizes amounted to about \$2,400. The board is gradually completing its arrangements for this year's fair which promises to be bigger and better than the ones preceding it.

Railroad Notes

W. P. Kimball, division engineer of the Erie with headquarters at Galion was looking after business in local railroad circles today.

A slight wreck in which two Erie box cars were overturned occurred in the Erie's west yards this morning. The wreck was caused by a defective switch point. The Galion wrecking crew placed the cars on the rails.

The Drake transfer company has installed an independent telephone box at the union depot with red light attachment. The phone connects the depot with the hack line office and when anyone at the office wishes to summon a hack they turn on the red light at this depot.

Claude Baker has accepted a position as driver on American express wagon No. 2 in the place of John Uri who has been promoted to wagon No. 1.

RUNTS GET BUSY

They Lay Plans for Securing Desirable Quarters.

The Marion Hogan's Runts Athletic Association held an important meeting at the offices of the Ohio Milling and Elevator company Monday night. All members of the club were present.

Aside from transacting regular business, a committee was appointed to look after renting a suitable set of rooms for club purposes. The committee was composed of Messrs. Edward Coleman, Harry Keller, William Fetter. The committee was instructed to secure, if possible, the opera house quarters which are now occupied by Company D. At the conclusion of the business, a social session was entered.

PARKS ARE CHRISTENED

Council Disposes of the Job Quickly.

MARTYRED PRESIDENTS

Honored in Naming Marion's Three Parks.

North Park is "Lincoln" South Park is "Garfield" and East is "McKinley".

At Monday evening's meeting of the City Council, J. V. Wilson announced that people were getting into the habit of referring to the three parks as the North End, East End and South End parks. He thought that unless these parks were named at once, the custom would stick and half the beauty of the parks would be lost in not having a pretty name.

Whereupon City Clerk Fies bobbed up serenely with a suggestion that the South End park be called Prospect. This was very well received and encouraged by his success, Mr. Fies then ventured on Fairview as a name for the North End rest spot. Mr. Wilson said several East End people had suggested Kensington park as the name for the East End resort. The matter was discussed a some length. Council wasn't exactly sure just who had the authority to name the parks, and it was finally decided that some action would be taken soon.

However, the park question would not be down and after the meeting had adjourned, the matter was discussed informally. City Solicitor Donihien then suggested that it might be a good idea to name the parks after the three martyred Presidents. This suggestion met with favor and the names of Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley were written on slips of paper and dropped into a hat.

Mr. Gordon drew for the North End park and drew the name of Lincoln; Mr. Wilson drew Garfield for the South End and Mr. Seiter drew McKinley for the East park. Hereafter, the council believes that people will come to use these names until they become so familiar that they will not be designated in any other manner.

Other than this the time was given up to the passing of some assessing ordinances and the hearing of petitions for sidewalks and sewers. Petitions for stone sidewalks on Walnut from Delaware avenue to Prospect street, on Fies avenue from Bennett street to the south line of lot 4557; on York from Lafayette to Fies avenue and on Seranton avenue from Silver street to lot 4312. Resolutions authorizing the construction of the last two were adopted and the others were referred to the street and alley committee.

A petition from property owners asked that Mill street be paved between State street and the first alley east and the two alleys running east and west and the first alley running north and south and parallel with State street be paved. This matter was referred to the street and alley committee.

An ordinance accepting J. G. Lefler's addition east of Forest Lawn was adopted. This piece of ground was formerly a part of the Peters Park addition and the replanting cuts the lots from 60 to 40 feet frontage.

An ordinance levying special assessments for the construction of sandstone sidewalks on the following streets in the following amounts was adopted: Herman street, 61 cents per lineal foot; Fairground street, 61; Carhart street, 60; Prospect street, 62; Chicago avenue, 60; Olney avenue, 62; Patton, 58; Wm. son avenue, 59; Carner avenue, 63; Mount street, 61; Belmont street, 61; Sharp street, 60; Edward street, 58; Irey avenue, 59; Grand avenue, 60 and Erie street, 60 cents.

Another assessing ordinance, levying a tax of 51 cents per lineal foot for the construction of the Jefferson street sewer and for various amounts on various lots for the Blaine avenue sewer was then adopted.

A petition for a sanitary sewer and cellar drain between Main and Prospect streets from lot 141 south to Mark street, was referred to the sewer committee.

A petition for a gas light on Fairground street near the end of the street car line, was referred to the street lighting and gas committee.

A petition asking for a storm water sewer on North Main street between Hazen street and the first alley north, was referred to the sewer committee.

decided to refer the matter to the police committee.

Court Happenings

Judge Young transacted considerable chancery business today. In the matter of A. M. Crane against John F. Bolinger and others to revive a judgment the plaintiff won and the judgment in the sum of \$26.35 was revived.

The case of William H. Key against E. H. Ruth, an action in which a peace complaint was filed, was dismissed at the costs of the plaintiff.

In the matter of the Good Roads Machine company against A. J. Brady and others, an action for money only, the defendant's motion asking that the plaintiff be required to give security for costs has been sustained and the plaintiff given until March 25 to secure them.

The motion for a new trial in the matter of Thomas Riley against the Pennsylvania railroad company, in which Riley secured a verdict for \$1570, was overruled.

The divorce case of Elnora Carr against Grant Carr was dismissed at the costs of the plaintiff.

Judge Young this morning granted a divorce to Jennie V. Boxwell from Volney D. Boxwell. The plaintiff is also awarded the custody of the minor children and the defendant is ordered to pay \$1000 alimony in monthly sums of ten dollars.

The partition of John C. Kelly against Patrick H. Kelly and others has been settled, the costs paid and record waived.

In the matter of the state of Ohio on complaint of Cora Finch against Daniel Finch, the case has been dismissed at the costs of the plaintiff.

The motion to dissolve the injunction has been sustained and the injunction dissolved in the matter of Clifford Piling against David W. Diller and Mary C. Diller.

ENGLISHMAN'S FIGHTING PROCLIVITIES

Brings Down the Law's Strong Arm.

His Desire to Run the Chebang Got John Scott Into Trouble.

John Scott, "han Hinglishmun, sirrah, hi wud 'ave y' know," was arrested this morning by Officer Bond, on complaint of L. Goldberg, who charged Scott with making a disturbance in the Kentucky Liquor house on North Main street.

Scotty was full, very full in fact, and attempted to run things his own way at the saloon. Hal Barracks, the "barkeep" is some pumpkins in the way of a bouncer, and Hal persuaded Scott to leave the place. Scott left but returned within a few minutes and started things again. This time the bouncer did not have a very easy time of it. The Britisher put up a good fight and before he landed kerplunk on the pavement in front of the saloon, he had broken one of the bartender's fingers, backened his eye and bruised him up considerably.

And Johnny Bull picked himself up from the pavement and walked away none the worse for his encounter. He is being held at the city prison until tomorrow, when he will be given a hearing.

William Barnhart was arrested on east Center street last night for drunkenness by officers Casie and Caspman. Barnhart was fined \$5 by the mayor this morning and having no money gave his overcoat as security.

Brief Mention

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Ireland, of North Greenwood street, Sunday.

Dr. E. L. Brady has removed his offices from West Center street to the second floor of the Leffler building, at the corner of Main and Church streets.

Mrs. Maude Drake Inskeep has opened a school of elocution in the Colonial block on West Center street. She will make a specialty of teaching elocution, oratory, physical culture and manners.

A deal was consummated at Waldo yesterday through which the Miller Brothers Ice cream and confectionary store was purchased by William Blaud. The new management took possession today. The Miller brothers retired from the store in order to enter the horse trading business.

MAY FOLLOW YOUNGSTOWN

Pennsylvania Cities Consider Selling Franchises.

AN ALL OHIO LEAGUE

Sandusky is Offered New-castle Holdings.

Stubenville or Lima will Probably be Given a Chance at the Sharon Outfit.

In prospect of a baseball league made up exclusively of Ohio towns, Youngstown sold its way out of the Ohio-Pennsylvania league yesterday. New Castle and Sharon bid fair to follow suit.

These latter towns are the only ones of Pennsylvania in the organization. Ohio towns hold the other six places. Zanesville has taken Youngstown's holdings over. New Castle has offered to sell to Sandusky. Stuebenville or Lima might buy out Sharon.

Youngstown gentlemen, who are in a position to know how things are going beneath the surface, assert that they have every reason to believe that the Zanesville company bought the championship outfit because baseball is wanted in the Muskingum county metropolis.

The idea that Zanesville's name is connected with the sale for the sole purpose of forcing the Youngstown street railway people to do as the McDonalds asked them to do is scouted. Two weeks ago a warning was issued that the railway company must equip a park or Youngstown would be shy an Ohio-Penn. club.

Refusal to heed this ultimatum caused the disposal of the franchise and claims on players to Zanesville, Manager Marty Hogan. It is said, will be transferred and placed in charge of the work of giving Zanesville what is wanted, a winner.

Followtag close upon the declaration that the Zanesville-Youngstown deal is a bona fide one is the announcement that the owners of the New Castle club have offered to sell out to Sandusky, where there has been an all winter longing to get a berth in the Ohio-Penn. league. Should Sandusky decide to buy and the deal be ratified, Sharon will stand alone as the only Pennsylvania member of the league. To keep the club in this town would cause the other seven teams to make trips to an out-of-the-way place. Naturally the thought comes up that a transfer of the Sharon franchise to some Ohio town would be advisable.

The sale of Youngstown certainly will put an end to all this talk about a league of 10 clubs. The question that now confronts the league manager is one of how to get a compact of eight clubs.

The southern end of the circuit is all right as it stands now. It is possible to get around from Zanesville, Newark, Lancaster and Marion by traction if such a mode of transportation is desired.—Ohio State Journal.

Eyes tested and fitted with glasses! Ozone cures catarrh, electric massage cures deafness. See Dr. Linger, Huber Block. 2-15-17

WARNER & EDWARDS

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Our assortment of these are very complete and styles and colorings are very attractive.

PRINTED JAPANS—Embroidered in plain and plaid effects with dainty colorings of pink, blue, yellow, green, price..... 35c yd.

Mercerized Suitings in Plaids and stripes, a sheer fabric at..... 25c yd.

PLAID BATISTES—Mercerized finish, specially pretty at..... 29c yd.

Shimmers Silks large assortment of colors and styles at..... 25c yd.

WARNER & EDWARDS

FARMERS DO NOT WANT MAIL ON SUNDAYS

Kenton, Feb. 18.—The Harding County Grange today adopted resolutions disapproving the suggestion of Sunday delivery by rural mail carriers, saying that the Sabbath is for rest and not a time for reading Sunday newspapers.

WINDOW SHADES

At the lowest prices. Window shades will be higher but we are still selling them at last year's prices. Felt shades at..... 10c Good cloth shades at the old price..... 25c If you need extra wide shades you can get them here. We have them in stock 42 in. to 54 in wide at the lowest prices.

— THE — Denman-Jenner Co. WEST CENTER STREET.

GET THE CASH HABIT.

The Toughest Soles in Marion

and many MEN are walking on them, why don't you? BOSTONIANS SHOES have CHARACTER and STYLE and are easy to wear; don't pay \$5.00 for a shoe that is no better than our BOSTONIANS at \$3.50. MEN LET US SHOW YOU.

NEW YORK STORE

About Rugs.

To keep up the big Rug Sales of last week we will continue the low Rug prices:

Room size Brussels Rugs \$10 at..... 9x12 Axminster Rugs, all the new ones and a big selection \$20

The same low prices on Wilton and Body Brussels will be continued for a few days. See them at once.

D. A. FRANK & COMPANY